IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI GREENVILLE DIVISION

ANTONIO GRANGER

PETITIONER

V.

No. 4:05CV60-M-B

LAWRENCE KELLY, ET AL.

RESPONDENTS

FINAL JUDGMENT

Upon consideration of the file and records in this action, including the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge dated April 26, 2006, the petitioner's June 6, 2006, June 9, 2006, June 12, 2006, objections to the Report and Recommendation, and the state's July 7, 2006, response to those objections, the court finds that the petitioner's objections are without merit and that the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation should be approved and adopted as the opinion of the court. It is, therefore

ORDERED:

- 1. That the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge dated April 26, 2006, is hereby approved and adopted as the opinion of the court.
- 2. That the instant petition for a writ of *habeas corpus* is hereby **DISMISSED** with prejudice and without evidentiary hearing as untimely filed under 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d).
 - 3. That this case is **CLOSED**.

THIS, the 19th day of September, 2006.

/s/ Michael P. Mills
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE